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1. Two Chinese firms, Hsiung Ti (兄弟) (Brothers) Company* and Mao Li (毛利) Company*, which have been carrying on trade between North Korea and Manchuria, were dissolved and re-formed on 20 October 1949 into the Chinese-Korean Joint Trading Company (中韓貿易合作社). The new firm has exclusive control over Manchurian-North Korean trade.

2. The North Korean sector of the firm includes representatives of the People's Army Rear Areas Service Bureau, the Ministry of Internal Affairs, the Trade Bureau of the Ministry of Commerce, and the North Korean Labor Party. Chinese representation is drawn from the Trade Bureau of the Northeast Border Area Government, and from the two constituent companies. Officers include the following:

President	:	TU Lü-kuang	(杜律光), Chinese
Vice Presidents	:	SŎ Chae-chi	(徐在知), Korean
		KIM Tong-wŏn	(金東元), Korean
		WANG Ta-lun	(王大倫), Chinese
Political Commissar:		WANG Shu-lin**	(王樹林), Chinese
Deputy Commissars	:	CHŎNG Nam-chu	(鄭楠柱), Korean from Yenan
		LIU Ch'ing-shan	(劉清山), Chinese
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25X1   Comment. WANG Shu-lin was a member of the Nationalist Control Yuan from Jehol Province.

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